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In re application of:

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Application No.: 09/177,711

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Examiner: Wang, S.

Art Unit: 1617

AMENDMENT

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed February 26, 2003, please amend the above-identified application as follows. A two-month extension of time accompanies this response. As July 26, 2003 was a Saturday, Applicants believe that the following response is timely as being submitted on the next business day.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 10 of this paper.

Conclusion begins on page 19 of this paper.

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